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A CARTRIDGE AUTOCHANGER, AND A CARTRIDGE

AUTOMATIC CONTROL DEVICE WITH AN AUTOCHANGER

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AMENDMENT "B" AND ELECTION

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated March 14, 2006 (Paper No. 20060309). The one-month period for responding to the Office Action expires on April 14, 2006.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

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